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TO: Commissioner of Patents, Alexandria, VA. 20231-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

The Following documents related to this application are enclosed:

1. Response to Office Communication 12/08/2004 (8 Pages)
including this page.
2. Substitute Specification and Claim (8 Pages)
3. Marked up copy of Original Specification (8 Pages)
4. Postcard

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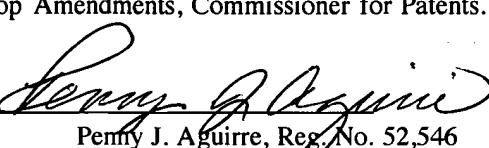
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RESPONSE

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Dear Ms. Grunberg:

This is the Applicant's response to the Office communication dated 12/08/2004. The applicant requests that the previous reply and the original specification and claim be cancelled and replaced with the substitute specification and claim included with this response. All of the examiner's objections have been addressed either by amendment or by comment in the REMARKS section. No additional fees are believed to be necessary. It is requested that the following amendments be made.